



DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

Federal Aviation Administration

**Notice of Opportunity for Public Comment on Surplus Property
Release at Columbia Metropolitan Airport, Columbia, South Carolina**

AGENCY: Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), DOT.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notice is given that the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) is considering a request from the Richland-Lexington Airport District to waive the requirement that 74 acres of surplus property, located at the Columbia Metropolitan Airport be used for aeronautical purposes. Currently, ownership of the property provides for protection of FAR Part 77 surfaces and compatible land use which would continue to be protected with deed restrictions required in the transfer of land ownership.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before [Insert date which is 30 days after date of publication in the FEDERAL REGISTER].

ADDRESSES: Documents are available for review by prior appointment at the following location:

Atlanta Airports District Office

Attn: Joseph Robinson, South Carolina Planner

1701 Columbia Ave., Suite 220

College Park, Georgia 30337-2747

Telephone: (404) 305-6749

Comments on this notice may be mailed or delivered in triplicate to the FAA at the following address:

Atlanta Airports District Office
Attn: Joseph Robinson, South Carolina Planner
1701 Columbia Ave., Suite 220
College Park, Georgia 30337-2747

In addition, one copy of any comments submitted to the FAA must be mailed or delivered to Mike Gula, Executive Director, Richland-Lexington Airport District at the following address:

Columbia Metropolitan Airport
3250 Airport Blvd - Suite 10
West Columbia, South Carolina 29170

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Joseph Robinson, Airport Planner, Atlanta Airports District Office, 1701 Columbia Ave., Suite 220, College Park, Georgia 30337-2747, (404)305-6749. The application may be reviewed in person at this same location.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the provisions of Title 49, U.S.C. Section 47151(d), the FAA is reviewing a request by the Richland-Lexington Airport District to release 74 of surplus property at the Columbia Metropolitan Airport. This singular parcel was originally conveyed to the County of Lexington on April 7, 1947 under the powers and authority contained in the provisions of the Surplus Property Act of 1944 and subsequently transferred to the Richland-Lexington Airport District on July 12, 1962.

Currently, this surplus property is located within the Columbia Metropolitan Airport Foreign Trade Zone #124.

Any person may inspect the request in person at the FAA office listed above under "FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT."

In addition, any person may, upon request, inspect the request, notice and other documents germane to the request in person at the Columbia Metropolitan Airport.

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Southern Region.

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